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# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## TRANSMITTAL OF SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/642, filed August 18, 2003

Applicant: Harry Streid, et al.

Title: WIDE ANGLE SCANNER FOR PANORAMIC DISPLAY

Group Art Unit: 2851 Attorney Docket No. 21254

#### Sir/Madam:

Transmitted herewith for filing and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97 is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

Enclosed also are the following designated documents, as required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98:

$\boxtimes$	Form PTO-1449 list of <u>8</u> references submitted for consideration.
<u> </u>	Legible copies of the listed references or their relevant portions.
	Copies of U.S. patents and/or publications are not included pursuant to the Official Gazette Notice, dated Aug. 5, 2003, waiving the requirement of 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a)(2)(i).
-	All English translations of each non-English reference. if any, within the possession custody, control or availability of anyone designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) (see 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(c)).

applic		ollowing are included within the Information Supplemental Disclosure Statement if it as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98:
		Concise explanation of relevance of each reference not in English and unaccompanied by an English translation.
		Statement that certain listed references not enclosed are substantially cumulative of are enclosed reference.
•		Statement that certain listed references not enclosed were previously cited by or submitted to the Office in prior application no. , filed on, which is relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. § 120.
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		Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(1) or (2).
		Check No in the amount of (amount in § 1.17(p)) constituting the submission fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p).
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#### Sir/Madam:

Please find, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(1), the enclosed Form PTO-1449 which contains a list of all patents, publications, or other items that have come to the attention of one or more of the individuals designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c). Applicant respectfully submits that this Information Disclosure Statement is filed pursuant to:

$\boxtimes$	37 C.F.R. § 1.97 (b)(1) or (3), within three months of the filing date of the application, or
before a first o	ffice action on the merits, whichever occurs last;

37 C.F.R. § 1.97 (c), after a first office action on the merits, but before a Final Office Action or a Notice of Allowance, whichever occurs first, and is accompanied by either 1) a statement in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e), or 2) the fee set forth in§1.17(p); or

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While no representation is made that any of these references may be "prior art" within the meaning of that term in accordance with 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 or 103, the enclosed list of references is disclosed so as to comply with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

Moreover, while no representation is made that a specific search of office files or patent office records has been conducted or that no better art exists, the undersigned attorney of record believes that Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement Application No. <u>10/642,880</u> Page 2

the references listed, together with any other references which may have been previously submitted or listed, are the closest to the claimed invention (taken in its entirety) of which the undersigned is presently aware, and no art which is closer to the claimed invention (taken in its entirety) has been knowingly withheld.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, a copy of each listed reference (or relevant portion thereof) which was not previously submitted to, or cited by, the Patent Office is also enclosed.

Legible copies of the listed <u>non-patent literature</u> and <u>foreign documents</u> or their relevant portions. Copies of U.S. patents and/or publications are NOT included pursuant to the Official Gazette Notice, dated Aug. 5, 2003, waiving the requirement of 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a)(2)(i).

The references listed in the accompanying Form PTO-1449 are NOT enclosed because, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), they were previously cited by or submitted to the Office in application number \_\_\_\_\_\_, which is relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. § 120.

For all listed references that are not either in the English language, or accompanied by a translation into English, a concise explanation of relevance as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3) is enclosed attached to each.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-0100.

Dated this 20th day of May, 2004.

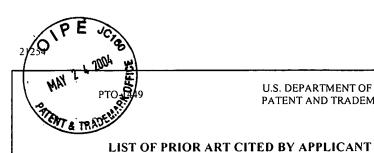
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